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● **Comments:**

Sir,

Please find attached a Petition for Revival of an Application for Patent Abandoned Unintentionally under 37 CFR 1.137(b) and PTO Form 2036 for the processing fee, along with a Response to non-final Office action.

Applicant hereby requests that the Petition be granted, and the response to non-final Office action be considered.

Sincerely,

Peter J. Rashid

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**PETITION FOR REVIVAL OF AN APPLICATION FOR PATENT  
ABANDONED UNINTENTIONALLY UNDER 37 CFR 1.137(b)**

Docket Number (Optional)

K-1920PCUS

First named inventor: GREGORY A. HYATT

Application No.: 10/526,413

Art Unit: 3722

Filed: October 5, 2005

Examiner: Dana Ross

Title: TOOLHOLDER

Attention: Office of Petitions

**Mail Stop Petition**

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**APPLICANT HEREBY PETITIONS FOR REVIVAL OF THIS APPLICATION**

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- (1) Petition fee;
- (2) Reply and/or issue fee;
- (3) Terminal disclaimer with disclaimer fee - required for all utility and plant applications filed before June 8, 1995; and for all design applications; and
- (4) Statement that the entire delay was unintentional.

**1. Petition fee**
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☒ Other than small entity - fee \$ 1540 (37 CFR 1.17(m))
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15 November 2007

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